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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

8 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

9 Plaintiff,

10 v.

11 BALJINDER SINGH BHATTI,

12 Defendant.

CASE NO. MJ19-428

**DETENTION ORDER**

13 The Court, having conducted a detention hearing pursuant to Title 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f),  
14 and based upon the factual findings and statement of reasons for detention hereafter set forth,  
15 finds that no condition or combination of conditions which the defendant can meet will  
16 reasonably assure the appearance of the defendant as required and the safety of any other person  
17 and the community.

18 **FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION**

19 Defendant was released on bond and absconded. He has been a fugitive for over 15 years  
20 and is charged for failing to appear.

21 It is therefore **ORDERED**:  
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1 (1) Defendant shall be detained pending trial and committed to the custody of the  
2 Attorney General for confinement in a correctional facility separate, to the extent practicable,  
3 from persons awaiting or serving sentences, or being held in custody pending appeal;

4 (2) Defendant shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private consultation with  
5 counsel;

6 (3) On order of a court of the United States or on request of an attorney for the  
7 Government, the person in charge of the correctional facility in which Defendant is confined  
8 shall deliver the defendant to a United States Marshal for the purpose of an appearance in  
9 connection with a court proceeding; and

10 (4) The Clerk shall direct copies of this order to counsel for the United States, to  
11 counsel for the defendant, to the United States Marshal, and to the United States Pretrial Services  
12 Officer.

13 DATED this 19<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2019.

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16 BRIAN A. TSUCHIDA  
United States Magistrate Judge